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In re Application of: Charisius

Serial No.: 09/839,644

Filed: April 20, 2001

Confirmation No.: 2137

Examiner: Ingberg

Art Unit: 2124

For: **METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR IDENTIFYING DEPENDENCIES BETWEEN OBJECT-ORIENTED ELEMENTS**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR INFORMATION AND
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

In response to the Requirement for Information mailed January 28, 2005, applicant has submitted responsive documentation in Serial No. 09/839,045 filed April 20, 2001, Confirmation No. 3644, and the examiner is directed to that file for copies. Please provide a four-month Extension of Time up to and including July 28, 2005 as provided for in 37 CFR 1.136. A check of \$1590.00 for the Extension of Time fee is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required to Deposit Account 501923.

The Examiner has requested information about a commercial product Together/J Commercial Edition version 1.0 and any related releases. The Examiner has also requested any User's Guides or Programmer Guides for the product as well as further related documents. There are four releases for the pertinent time period: 1.0, 2.0, 2.2.2 and 3.0.

Releases 1.0 and 2.0 make no mention of the Whiteboard editions.

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Release 2.2.2 refers to it in the following files:

faq.html

GS_Chapter5.html

GS_Tutorial.html

ConfigProperties.html.

In addition readme_windows.html mentioned it in a comment, not displayed to the end-user.

Release 3.0 refers to it in the following files:

Installation.htm

Integrating_dev_environment.htm

Large_project_management.htm

Patterns_Support.htm

Project_Explorer.htm

simultaneous_rt_engineering.htm

UML 1.3 Diagrams.htm

UML_Support.htm

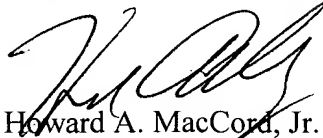
View_Management.htm

Creating_diagrams_in_projects.htm

creating_opening_a_project.htm

Further examination is awaited.

Respectfully submitted,



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